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Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

- 1. Amendment (7 pgs.);
- 2. Statement Claiming Small Entity Status (2 pgs.);
- 3. Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.);
- 4. Check No. 1670 in the amount of \$55.00;
- 5. a Return Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (212) 935-3000, New York, New York.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 21535-008, Customer No.: 35437. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

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